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ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX, INVITATION NO. 05, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-260--FINAL
REQUIREMENTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell all purpose egg mix as indicated below and per the Announcement for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Aug. 5. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Aug. 9. Deliveries are to be made from Sept. 16 to Sept. 30. Purchase of the quantities listed on this Invitation will complete current requirements.

This invitation for offers to sell all purpose egg mix is in response to the April 16 announcement by the Department to provide assistance for the egg laying industry, which has faced difficult economic times. Product must be produced under the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated April 1998, as amended. The purchase of all purpose egg mix under this Invitation is contingent upon availability of funds.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-260; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated April 1998, as amended; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-260, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Polyethylene Bags (076010) - All purpose egg mix packaged in polyethylene bags, 10 pounds (4.54 kg) to each bag and 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers (four 10-pound) (4.54-kg) polyethylene bags each) totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg) net weight.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY260
INVITATION : 005
COMM GROUP : 07 EGG MIX
COMM TYPE : 60 EGG MIX, DRIED
PACK SIZE : 10 4/10 LB BAG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/02 - 09/30/02				

001	LYNDHURST	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
002	MILLEDGEVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
003	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
004	GRANITE CITY	IL		40,000
005	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	ANGOLA	LA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 280,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 280,000



Dennis J. Pearson
Contracting Officer

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